Evergreen

Evergreen, Nov. 3.- A number from here attended the mission study for foreign missions last Monday, at Liberty Baptist Church.

Little Gary Baker has returned home from the Virginia Baptist Hospital, much improved.

Mrs. E. T. Bruce attended the fall meeting of the American Legion at Roanoke Saturday.

Richard Hamilton has returned to school, after being on the sick list for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham have moved into their new home.

The Hallowe'en party at Evergreen school was a success. All had a good time.

Mrs. R. J. Paulette was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fitzgerald, of Roanoke called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamilton and family Saturday P. M.

Mrs. R. H. Wooldridge and Mrs. H. C. Staples have been on the sick list. They are better at this time.

Mr. G. E. Granger, of Richmond was the dinner guest last Thursday evening of the Rev. and Mrs. V. L. Hudson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Staples were dinner guests last Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Richardson, of Pamplin.

A surprise birthday dinner last Friday evening was given in honor of Mr. C. I. Harvey, at Cullen, by his family. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Z V. Harvey, Mr. R. P. Harvey and Mrs. Ella Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conner, of Lynchburg, called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette Sunday P. M.

County Line

County Line, Nov. 3.- Right much frost here this morning.

It has been announced that the next W .M. S. meeting of Central Baptist Church will be held at the church the third Sunday morning, after Sunday School.

A Thanksgiving sermon will be preached at Central Church on the fourth Sunday night, Nov. 22.

Mrs. Tip Evans and mother, Mrs. Waller visited Mr and Mrs. J. W. Waller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W .W. Overton, of Lynchburg attended preaching at Central Sunday A. M, Mrs. Margaret Marshall accompanied them to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jordon's for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Mayberry and family, of Richmond, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Mayberry visited Mr. and Mrs. Jay Clapp since their return home from a vacation in Florida. The Clapps accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clapp of West Virginia to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mayberry visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Goggin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Booker Jones and children went to Lynchburg Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Mann visited her mother, Mrs. Childress, near Naruna Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harris and daughter, Carolyn, called in the home of Vernie Jones Monday A. M.

Vera

Vera, Nov. 3.- Mrs. Kate Gunter and Mrs. Percy Garrette attended the group meeting at New Hope Church Friday. A large number was present.

Mr. John Scruggs was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scruggs, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Ould, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Scruggs, and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrette, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scruggs and Mr. Leighton Hatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrette visited the Rev. and Mrs. John P. Leitner last Tuesday night.

Rev. J. P. Leitner will teach the mission book, "By All Means," at Liberty Chapel Church on Monday night, the 16th, beginning at 7:30.

POISONOUS PLANTS HAZARD TO LIVESTOCK

Sassy Jack — a plant with narrow, pointed, dark green leaves — may look good enough to eat to livestock for green food in the wintertime.

If the animals eat it, though, they may have trouble.

The same goes for many other poisonous plants in Virginia, says A. B. Massey, emeritus professor of botany at VPI.

Professor Massey points out that each year poisonous plants exact a toll from livestock and dairy animals. Most of the trouble comes in winter and early spring when grass is short, and animals graze or browse plants they otherwise rarely eat. Some of the most common of these plants are highly poisonous, and cause heavy losses. Sheep and goats seem to suffer more from winter poisoning than other forms of livestock, mainly because they do more miscellaneous browsing.

The most dangerous native evergreen shrubs in Virginia are mountain laurel, vicky, and the evergreen rhododendrons. Fetter - bush also is to be viewed with suspicion. Some of the evergreen shrubs which are not native, but which are planted in yards, are poisonous to stock and to children as well. The highly prized boxwood contains a poison in its leaves and stems. The yews also contain poisonous substances.

The answer, in many cases, is to fence stock away from ornamental plantings. Plants such as sassy jack, or Caper's spurge, are of no value and should be destroyed.

Farmers and stockmen can get help on identifying poisonous plants from Bulletin 222, "Poisonous Plants," available from county agents or from the VPI Agricultural Extension Service. The bulletin also gives suggestions for diagnosis and treatment while pointing out that control is first and foremost a matter of prevention.

University of Virginia to play U. of South Carolina in football this Saturday.

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W. CALDWELL

Wood Caldwell, public schools for ed Friday at 11:10 P. of her brother-in- Mr. and Mrs. A. 1302 Eleanor Ct., Nor-

Appomattox, she was of the late John R. and McFarland Wood lived in Norfolk for retired from teaching

sister, she is survivsister, Charles Randolph Sweet Briar, and by and eight nephews. services were conducted Sunday, from Liberty ch, by the Rev. James ed Dr. W. Twyman Wilwas in the family Appomattox.

were Schuyler Marvans, William W. S Gills, T. M. Trent, ond Jr., Raymond Jadavid Caldwell.

M. BURTON

McKinney Burton, 56, of d at 7:15 P. M. Satan illness of several Aug. 10, 1903, at Everson the son of the late Irene Paulette Burton, served employee of the Western Railway.

ervices were conducted Monday, from Robin- Home here. Burial was emetery. Services were by the Rev. James T. ghlit was Mrs. R. A. Bearers were Harry Johnson, Evans Fergusthomas, Courtney Wootlie Watson.

WALTER ROBERTS

Walter Roberts died sudden- home Friday morning, at R. Conord, Rt. 2.

Roberts was born in Saltville, June 9, 1890, son of the and Lula Harris Robwas a member of the Presbytern Church.

survivors are his wife, Janie Fanwin Roberts; two daughters, Mae Jones, of Madison and Dorothy Roberts, of four sisters, Mrs. Gay Saltville, Va.; Mrs. Viola Saltville, Va.; Mrs. Sue Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Alice Pinsteero, Va.

ervices were conducted at 2:00 P. M., from Robin- Home, Appomattox, by Williams, with burial emetery. Organist was Shepherd.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

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Society

FARRAR - NEIGHBORS

Miss Grace Gaynell Farrar and Mr. Kenneth Randolph Neighbors were married Monday evening, October 26, at the Methodist Parsonage in Pamplin, Virginia.

Miss Farrar is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Farrar, of Appomattox, and Mr. Neighbors is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Neighbors, of Madison Heights. The Rev. Charles Price officiated, in the presence of family and friends.

The bride wore a blue lace dress over blue taffeta with a blue silk sash crisscrossing in the front and back. Her accessories were black and white.

The bride is a senior at the Appomattox High School and the groom is employed in Lynchburg. They are making their home with Mrs. Neighbors' parents until her graduation from school.

FARINHOLT - GOIN

Before a setting of white flowers, greens and a background of palms, Miss Nannie Belle Goin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt T. Goin, of Appomattox, became the bride of Mr. Luther Farinholt, Jr., son of Mr and Mrs. Luther Farinholt, of Williamsburg, at the Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church on October 31, at 4:00 P. M.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Dr. Twyman Williams.

Mr. Thomas Farinholt, brother of the groom, presented a program of of wedding music. and accompanied Mrs. Louise Martin, who sang, "O Promise Me."

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. John Goin, wore a gown of chantilly lace, and tulle with a scalloped neckline, and long pointed sleeves.

The floor length skirt consisted of swirls of tulle. Her veil fell from a matching chantilly crown with rhinestone clips. She carried a prayer book topped with a white orchid.

Mrs .Wade Adams, her sister, matron of honor, wore a ballerina length pink chiffon dress with white accessories and carried a cascade of white mums and pompons.

The bridesmaids were Miss Geraldine Farinholt, of Williamsburg, cousin of the groom; Miss Nettie Jean Brown, cousin of the bride, and Miss Mary Frances Goin, sister of the bride, both of Appomattox.

Mr. Farinholt served as his son's best man.

The groomsmen were Bert Hargrove, Jr., cousin of the groom; Edward Trautman, James A. Davis, and James Thomas Faris, all of Williamsburg.

Mrs. James A. Davis, of Williamsburg, was mistress of ceremony.

A reception which followed in the social hall of the church, was in charge of Mrs. Henry Pack, Mrs. Clyde O'Brien, Mrs. Joe Terry and Mrs. DeWitt Evans.

Baffling

Third grade school teacher: "I'm too young to be as old as I am."
—Jax Air News, Jacksonville, Fla.

MODERN MILKING SYSTEMS EFFICIENT

In grandpa's day it took a good man to milk and care for a dairy herd without plenty of help from grandma and the kids. One good hand milker could milk about 10 cows an hour. Feeding, cleaning, and lugging milk cans around meant hard work.

Grandson does things differently today. He has replaced muscles with machines. It has been estimated, says W. S. Griffith, dairy specialist at VPI, that with the latest in milking, feeding, and management facilities and method one man can care for 40 cows an hour. In this hour he feeds, milks, and cleans up.

The use of milking parlors, pipeline milking, bulk tanks, mechanical feeding, loose housing, and bulk feed handling has made this possible. The modern dairyman can take care of more cows, and can spread his total investment in an effort to lower cost per cow.

What do the various modern systems cost? A recent report from the U. S .Department of Agriculture sheds light on this subjecc by giving comparative per-cow costs for four systems.

The first, a stanchion barn, was a two-story concrete block structure, equipped with "around the barn" milk pipeline, bulk tank, pipeline washing system, barn cleaner, ventilating system, and three milking units. One man could milk 30 cows per hour. Building and equipment costs based on 30 cows averaged $380 per cow.

A second system coupled loose housing with a double two-stall milking parlor and four milking units .Each stall had two side openings. The system could handle 28 cows per hour with equipment costing $225 per cow.

A double three-in-line, walk through milking parlor was considered one of the most advantageous as far as cost and efficiency was concerned. Since cows could be milked in groups of three, little time was lost between cows. Based on 32 cows milked per hour the building and equipment cost averaged $207 per cow.

The new herringbone milking parlor was tops in use of labor. Cows are handled in groups and placed at an angle in the parlor. The compactness of the system cuts down on the area needed per cow. Hence, building and equipment cost per cow was estimated at $184. Using a double 4-stall herringbone parlor, a skilled operator can milk from 35 to 40 cows per hour.

Comparative costs tend to favor a loose housing barn coupled with a milking parlor. A major disadvantage for this sort of "progress," Griffith says, is that while it makes milking easier it tends to result in larger herds, and more milk production. "With a market already oversupplied with milk, it is unfortunate that a dairyman must contribute even more surplus in order to take advantage of cost-saving, labor-saving practices," Griffin says. Nearly all the changes that a dairyman makes to increase efficiency of production are possible only if more cows and more milk are handled, he points out. "It is hard for many dairymen to see how they can permanently improve their situation by producing more surplus milk.

Griffith says production testing through dairy herd improvement associations, owner - sampler, or weigh-a-day-a-month, plus artificial breeding, will help a dairyman to see the same amount of milk with fewer cows.

DIET AFFECTS LEVEL OF BUTTERFAT IN MILK

A cow's diet has a lot to do with how much butterfat is in her milk —but in a different way than has been thought heretofore.

Dairy scientists at VPI say that in the late 1930's some work, which received widespread publicity, was reported showing that the fat content of milk could be decreased by feeding low-hay, high-grain rations. The hay was fed in the ground form. Other work has shown that the physical form of the hay may alter the fat test of milk, but it now appears that the relative proportion of hay to concentrate in the ration, and the nature of the concentrate itself, may be factors of even greater importance.

Milk produced on low-hay, high-concentrate rations will usually be lower in fat content than that produced on normal diets regardless of whether the hay is ground or fed long. This indicates that the drop in fat is not caused by the ground hay as such but rather by the level of hay and/or grain intake.

Work at the Maryland Experiment Station has shown that the feeding of heated corn (heated to over 200 degrees centigrade with moist heat) has a more marked effect on lowering the butterfat of milk than ground and pelleted hay, unless the hay pellets had been steamheated to high temperatures. Four pounds of the corn fed daily was as effective as 18 pounds. Dry heated corn produced no decrease in fat content. The effect of the heated corn was lessened greatly when long ha ynather than pelletted hay was fed with it. Interestingly enough, the pelleted hay and heated corn ration was highly effective in increasing efficiency of body weight gains in fattening steer calves.

Zigzag Stitching

Zigzag stitching is a help in sewing with cotton knits. It will give smoother and firmer finish to seams, especially at underarms and other points of strain.

GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scout Troop 41 held its regular meeting Wed., Nov. 4. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. S. S. Shouse, and a business meeting held. Mrs. Shouse described a bazaar to suggest Christmas projects, and so presents for parents. Delicious refreshments were served by the leader. Several hiking and scout songs were rehearsed.

A "Cook-out" is scheduled for this Saturday.

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Demonstration Club Schedule

Nov. 9: Bethany Club will meet at 1 P. M. with Mrs. J. Mott Harvey. Mrs. Reba Bruce and Mrs. W. C. Paulette will give the demonstration.

Nov. 9: Richwood Club will meet at 7:30 P. M., with Mrs. J .C. Caldwell, Demonstration will be given by Mrs. Fred Wooldridge and Mrs. R .E. Wilburn.

Nov. 11: Spout Spring Club will meet with Mrs. D. P. Moon, at 2 P. M. Demonstration will be given by Mrs. Wesley Martin and Mrs. H. C. Phelps.

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Colored Dots

A large crowd attended the regular preaching services at Gallies Baptist Church last Sunday morning at the 11:30 service. The pastor, Rev. R. Q. Lewing, who has been on his vacation, was in charge of the service, The pastor delivered a soul-stirring sermon from the subject, "When God Writes the Sentence." All present enjoyed the message. The choir rendered a number of new selections. The offering for the day was very good. Deacon J. W. King was in charge of the offering. An after offering was taken for the Moses Nursing Home, of Charlotte Court House, Va.

Mrs. Nellie Flowers Thomas, of the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church, died last Saturday morning in a Washington, D. C. Hospital, Funeral services will be conducted from the Mount Shiloh Church at 3:30, Wednesday.

Laymen's Day will be observed at the First Baptist Church this Sunday at 8 P .M.

All officers, members and friends are invited to attend the evening service at the Proimse Land Baptist Church this Sunday at 8 P .M. The pastor will deliver a special message.

The local chapter of New Farmers of America held their regular monthly meeting in the Agriculture class room at activity period, with Tim Lawing, president, presiding. All officers were present. The budget committee was presented by the tenth grade class, with Cal Berkley as secretary. Program of work was presented by the 11th grade, with Alex Turner as secretary. Committees were appointed to carry out the objectives of the chapter. A report from the Western Federation was given by Rufus Trent, a delegate from the local chapter and president of the Federation.

Over seventy-five sponsors of student activities and principals from ten counties met at the Carver-Price High School last Monday evening at 6 o'clock, to formulate plans and schedules for this school - year activities. The planning conefrnce was under the direction of the V. I. A., of the Board of Education. The meeting was very informative and educational.

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While the number of 4-H'ers is steadily increasing, the annual crop of winners remains about the same. The National Committee points out, however, that the number of award programs is limited. Competition for qualifications becomes higher and competition keener. At the present time the ratio of state and national winners is one member out of 2,000.

Top national award programs in which 4-H'ers participate include clothing, frozen foods, entomology, safety, public speaking, and tractor. There are nearly 50 others, according to the National Committee.

All 4-H projects and activities endeavor to show how to improve the individual, the family, the home, farm and community.

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